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NEPSZAVA PAGE 2: GENEVA ON WEDNESDAY: SALT CONSULTATIONS BETWEEN AMERICAN AND SOVIET DELEGATIONS. - LEADING ARTICLE /WITH PHOTO/: STATESBORO/GEORGIA/: TEXTILE WORKERS DEMANDED A BOYCOTT OF J.P. STEVENS WHO WAS AGAINST THE TRADE UNION MOVEMENT. RESULT: HE OPENED HIS FACTORY AGAIN AND WILL NOT PREVENT THEIR ACTIVITY. - AMERICAN LOAN IN A VALUE OF 12 MILLION DOLLAR TO NICARAGUA.

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